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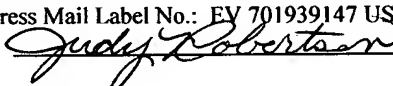
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LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's communication of May 30, 2005 referring to MPEP 714.02 and 37 CFR § 1.111.

The claims before the Examiner are elected claims 15, 16 and 19.

In the Official Action of December 16, 2004, claims 15 and 16 were rejected over *Goldenberg* under 35 USC § 102; and in applicants' response of March 16, 2005, it was pointed out that the claims as amended avoided *Goldenberg* who does not show the "beadlet" or "scaffold" concept of the newly amended claims; and accordingly the claims are novel and the rejection under 35 USC § 102 is not applicable and should be withdrawn. Claim 19 was not addressed because it was not rejected and because it depended on amended claim 16.

The double-patenting and 35 USC § 112 were previously addressed.

Applicants have made a bonafide attempt to comply with the Examiner's requirements.

All outstanding issues have been addressed and applicants request that allowable subject matter be indicated in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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